

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of)	Confirmation No. 8869
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Jean-Michel Claude Gaston Savignat et al.)	Examiner:
)	T. Shane Bomar
Serial No.: 10/580,710)	
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Filed: May 25, 2006)	
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<u>DRILL BIT AND METHOD OF USE</u>)	September 30, 2008

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**RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION DATED AUGUST 4, 2008
AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.116**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed August 4, 2008, Applicants present the following amendments and remarks and request reconsideration of the application.

A Replacement Drawing Sheet is included herewith.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3.

Remarks begin on page 7.